

Mason Co. 1874

File 622

Bexar Preemption
Abt. 723

Wm Moore
160 ac

Admitted May 6/73

Corrected Map of Mason Co.

May 19th 1874.

Feb 1/82 Otto Groos

Correct for patenting to
the heirs

Febry 6/82 Marsh.

~~Patented Febry 7/82~~
~~Nov 24. 1873.~~ Carrington

Marked

3/30

111 Rd Feb Ry

Mgl. 5979

C May 1
C J H H 74

- 1 Designation
2 Filed under
3/31/73
Dietson
3. Pre-emption Sec 23/81
Mallin

500 dep Dec 23/81
E J Anderson by

~~FEBRUARY 1st, 1874.~~

~~MILLER & DOWELL.~~

~~In connection with buying and selling land, we do a
great business than most others.
real
land business in obtaining grants to land, investigating
land titles, locating land certificates and furnishing any
information desired from the records of the General Land
office. As location we locate and obtain grants for one
with interest in lands located
Column for collection amount individual, the state and
United States Government sold out. Changes on collect-
ing account the state, & $\frac{1}{2}$ for each amount individual
and the United States, moderate and uniform. When fall-
en to collect only claim no charge is made.~~

Mar 18. 74

To H. R. Webster,
Sup. Com. War.

Dear Sir,

Mr. Byrd's bill of Preservation law
approved May 26. 1874, being the
a sum of \$60,000 in addition to
improvements. — Estimated in view of

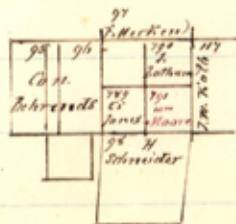
Union on roads, commerce, etc.
He took his bill, etc. Act No 361
and same
McCormick

File 622
Bryan Brampton
Designation
Wm Moore

Filed Mar 27, 74
Rhoads Fisher
Chfclr.

Survey No 791.

The State of Texas Field notes of Survey
County of Mason of 160 acres of land made
for William Moore by order of a
law, approved May 26. 1873 dividing land
into 4000 acres to each - var. 810¹⁵



18 N^o 791, situated in County of Mason on order of Commissioner C.

about 4 miles N^{25°E} of Mason. Beginning at a Stake for
S. E. Cor. of N^o 789, in Northeast of N^o 791, and South West corner of this
Survey, from which a Post Box 8 mi. S. E. S^{74 1/2} E^{83 1/2} W. Post Box 8 mi. S.
E. N^{31 1/2} W. S^{1/2} E. 10. 3 1/2 ac.

Then east at 9 1/2 ac. at Stake for South East corner, from which a
Post Box 8 mi. S. E. N^{71 1/2} E. Post Box 8 mi. S. E. S^{24 1/2} W. S^{1/2} E. 10.

Then with 9500 acres to South East corner of N^o 790, for
North East corner.

Then with 9500 acres to Stake for East of N^o 790, N. E. Cor. of N^o 789
and North West corner of this survey, from which a Post Box 8 mi. S.
E. S^{1 1/2} W. Post Box 10 mi. S. E. N^{17 1/2} E. 12 1/2 ac.

Then south 2000 ac., then west 70 ac., then south 2500
ac., then east 105 acres, then south 500 acres to the
place of beginning.

Ch Jones

James Lotham

3 Commissioners.

I W. B. Brinkman Deputy Surveyor of Mason County being certify,
that the foregoing Survey was made according to law, and
that the limits, boundaries and corners, with the natural
and artificial, and trees described in the foregoing
plat and Field notes March 19. 74.

W. B. Brinkman

of Robert Fischel County Surveyor of Mason County being
certify, that I have examined the foregoing plat and
Field notes, and found them correct, and that they are
recorded in my office Book A. D. 2 page 242
Mason March 23. 1874

Robert Fischel
Surveyor of Mason County.

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Bet or Prescription
Field notes of 160
Wm Moore

Filed Mar 20/74.

Rhoads Fisher,
Attest,

Correct on Map of Mason Co.

May 19th 1874

Ottawa
(Feb 1/82) L. Moore

Patent Entry 7/82
Cannington

© May 1st 74
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See next

Proof of Settlement under Homestead Act.

The State of Texas,
County of Mason }

62^v
Bd P

BEFORE ME, the undersigned, County Clerk in and for the County aforesaid, this day came and personally appeared Martha A. Moore, ^{surviving wife of Wm Moore deceased} a resident citizen of said County, who being by me duly sworn, declares that he is a bona fide settler upon 160 acres of vacant public land, situated in said County, and surveyed for William Moore on the 19th day of March 1874, by H R von Babbstein a Surveyor of said County; that she has occupied and improved the same as a Homestead for a period of three consecutive years, beginning on the 1st day of March 1874, that she is ^{and the surviving wife of William Moore deceased} the head of a family, and that she makes this affidavit for the purpose of obtaining a title to the same for a Homestead, under an Act supplementary to "An Act for the Benefit of Actual Occupants of the Public Lands," approved May 26th, 1873, and Acts prior thereto; and that he has not a Homestead other than the above.

AND also at the same time came and personally appeared J A Ferguson and Charles Jones two credible resident citizens of said County, to me well known, who being duly sworn, depose and says that Martha A. Moore the person

first above named in this affidavit, has actually settled upon and cultivated as a Homestead, the land surveyed for Wm Moore on the 19th day of March 1874, by the surveyor aforesaid, for the period of

three years, and they nor either of them have any interest in the said land. ^{and that Martha A. Moore the person herein named is the widow of William Moore deceased} J A Ferguson Charles Jones Martha A. Moore ^{her mark}

SWORN TO and subscribed before me, and I hereby certify that J A Ferguson and Charles Jones are credible and trustworthy citizens of said County.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the

Seal of said County, at office, this 8th day of

February 1879

E J Audwood
Clerk of County Court, Mason Co.





St. Louis County, Mo.

To witness that I, ROBERT WILSON, Notary Public, do by my hand and seal, seal this day of December, 1881, certify that the above named person is a Notary Public in this State, and has been so registered and certified by me, and that he is now qualified to practice his profession in this State.

Given under my hand and seal this 23rd day of December, 1881.

Robert Wilson, Notary Public.

File 622
Rover Possession
John Moore
Proof of Possession
Filed Dec 23/81
Robert Wilson
Notary Public

Settler

W. A. Muller
Proof of Settlement of Land

County of St. Louis
State of Missouri